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Dawn Teo is the Senior Vice President of Amara Hotels and Resorts and Director of Strategic Planning and Corporate Development for Amara Holdings. Amara Holdings is a Singapore-based integrated lifestyle group with businesses in Hotel Investment and Management, Property Investment and Development, and Specialty Restaurants. Amara is listed on the Singapore Stock Exchange.

At Amara, Dawn is responsible for the Hotel Investment and Management division. The group currently owns and operates four hotels in the Asia Pacific region, namely Amara Hotel Singapore, Amara Hotel Bangkok, Amara Sanctuary Resort Sentosa, and Amara Signature Shanghai. She also spearheads the group's investment and acquisition strategies in the region.

Dawn is the Co-Founder and Director of Objectifs - Centre for Photography and Filmmaking, a visual arts space in Singapore that focuses on film and photography and their value to society. Since its establishment in 2003, Objectifs has aimed to cultivate original voices in visual storytelling, and to inspire and broaden perspectives through the power of images with a year-round program of exhibitions, screenings, residencies, talks and workshops.

Prior to joining Amara, Dawn held senior positions in several multinational banks, and has spent over a decade with UBS AG and Credit Suisse AG. She is a graduate of The Wharton School at the University of Pennsylvania.

Dawn also serves on the Boards of the Singapore Hotel Association and SHATEC Institutes, a hospitality and tourism school in Singapore.

Quote: "A healthy workforce in a safe workplace is a key pillar for all robust and sustainable organizations."